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In re Patent No. 7,571,166 : DECISION ON REQUEST  
Davies, et al. : FOR  
Issue Date: August 4, 2009 : RECONSIDERATION OF  
Application No. 09/998,613 : PATENT TERM ADJUSTMENT  
Filed: November 30, 2001 : and  
Atty Docket No. 087367-013001 : NOTICE OF INTENT TO ISSUE  
: CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION

This is a decision on the petition filed on August 5, 2009, which is being treated as a petition under 37 CFR 1.705(d) requesting that the patent term adjustment indicated on the above-identified patent be corrected to indicate that the term of the above-identified patent is extended or adjusted by two thousand, four hundred and fifty-eight(2,458) days.

The petition to correct the patent term adjustment indicated on the above-identified patent to indicate that the term of the above-identified patent is extended or adjusted by nine hundred and forty-nine (949) days is **GRANTED to the extent indicated herein.**

As the period from the filing date of the request for continued examination (RCE) to the issue date of the patent is not included in the "B" delay period, the over three year period begins on December 1, 2004, and ends on June 14, 2005, the day before the RCE was filed, and is 196 (not 1709) days. See 35 U.S.C. 154(b)(1)(B)(i).

The Office will *sua sponte* issue a certificate of correction. Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.322, the Office will not issue a certificate of correction without first providing assignee or patentee an opportunity to be heard. Accordingly, patentees are given **one (1) month or thirty (30) days**, whichever is longer, from the mail date of this decision to respond. No extensions of time will be granted under § 1.136.

The application is being forwarded to the Certificates of Branch for issuance of a certificate of correction. The Office will issue a certificate of correction indicating that the term of the above-identified patent is extended or adjusted by **nine hundred and forty-nine (949)** days.

Telephone inquiries specific to this matter should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3222.



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Enclosure: Copy of DRAFT Certificate of Correction

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**CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION**

PATENT : 7,571,166 B1

DATED : Aug. 4, 2009

INVENTOR(S) : Davies, et al.

It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

On the cover page,

[\*] Notice: Subject to any disclaimer, the term of this patent is extended or adjusted under 35 USC 154(b) by (753) days

Delete the phrase "by 753 days" and insert – by 949 days--